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Letter dated 17 December 1992 from the representatives of Colombia, Mexico, Spain, Venezuela and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

We have the honour to transmit the text of a joint statement issued by the Governments of Colombia, Mexico, Spain, Venezuela and the United States of America on 15 December 1992 on the occasion of the ceremony of national reconciliation held in San Salvador to celebrate the end of the first phase of the implementation of the Peace Agreements in El Salvador, with the culmination of the cessation of the armed conflict (see annex).

We should be grateful if you would have the text of this letter and its annex circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 36, and of the Security Council.

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ANNEX

Joint statement issued on the occasion of the ceremony on 15 December 1992 in San Salvador

The Governments of Colombia, Mexico, Spain and Venezuela have served in the capacity of friends of the Salvadorian peace process since October 1990 at the request of the Secretary-General of the United Nations. The Government of the United States of America has also provided its full support for the negotiation and implementation of the Peace Agreements in El Salvador. The Presidents of Colombia, Mexico and Venezuela and the Prime Minister of Spain, and the Secretary of State of the United States of America participated on 16 January 1992 in the ceremony for the signing of the Peace Agreement between the Government of El Salvador and the Frente Farabundo Martí para la Liberación Nacional (FMLN), held in Mexico City, to demonstrate their full support for the Agreements.

The Governments of Colombia, Mexico, Spain, Venezuela and the United States of America congratulate the Salvadorian parties and the Secretary-General of the United Nations on the great progress made in the implementation of the Peace Agreements. Throughout the past year, the five Governments have worked with the Secretary-General, his Special Representative and the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (ONUSAL) to this end.

On this important occasion, the Governments of Colombia, Mexico, Spain, Venezuela and the United States of America reiterate their firm commitment to assist the Secretary-General and Salvadorian institutions and political and social forces in their efforts to ensure that the Salvadorian Peace Agreements are fully implemented and to promote the reconciliation and reconstruction of the country. The five Governments will continue their efforts to gain the support of the international community for the important process of national reconciliation and reconstruction in El Salvador, within the framework of the attainment of democracy, peace, stability and the development of all Central America.

San Salvador, 15 December 1992